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## Autumn Planting Time Has Come

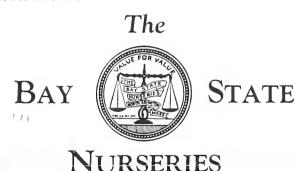
# AND HERE ARE SOME SUGGESTIONS

OCTOBER and NOVEMBER are ideal months for planting many kinds of trees, shrubs, vines, and hardy plants.

After the frosts of early October, the sap stops flowing and the plants are dormant. They can be safely transplanted in this condition without danger of flagging and will commence growing earlier next spring than similar plants set out then.

The autumn days are pleasurable to work in, the weather is less changeable and freaky than in spring; and, as a rule, the ground is warm and mellow, not cold and wet as so often it is in April.

Deciduous trees, shrubs, and vines can be safely planted as long as the ground is open. In Maine the soil usually freezes in early November; in Massachusetts about the 10th of December; and in Pennsylvania and states further south, not until considerably later in the month, as a general rule. This permits planting in the Northeastern States throughout October and November.



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#### **GRAPE-VINES**

This is the ideal season to plant Grapes, whether just one or two vines to cover a fence, or enough to plant a larger vine-yard. We have a supply of splendid vines, full of vigor and eager to grow off next spring, provided they are planted now.

BLUE VARIETIES: Campbell's Early, Concord, and Worden. RED VARIETIES: Catawba, Salem, and Delaware. WHITE VARIETIES: Moore's Diamond, and Niagara.

3-yr.-old, strong plants, 60c. each; 5 or more of one kind, 50c. each
4-yr.-old, extra-strong plants, 90c. each; 5 or more
of one kind, 75c. each



## HARDY PLANTS FOR HEDGES

Autumn is the perfect planting-time for all hardy shrubs, including those used for hedges. We recommend any of the following, but can supply many other varieties as well. Please refer to our descriptive eatalogue. If you do not have a copy, we will send one upon request.

Set hedge plants 1 foot apart—to plant 75 feet of hedge requires 75 plants. 25 or more of one variety will be furnished at 100 rate.



#### JAPANESE BARBERRY

(Berberis thunbergi)

The finest hedge plant for New England and other northern states. Hardy, graceful, and especially attractive in fall and winter with its bright fruit.

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15 to 18 in., bushy	. \$0	25	\$2 00	\$12 00
18 to 24 in., bushy		35	2 50	18 00
2 to 21/2 ft., bushy		50	-4.00	27 00
2½ to 3 ft., bushy.		60	5 40	45 00

#### AMUR PRIVET

(Ligustrum amurense)

There are several kinds of Privet, but of the really hardy types there is none better than this variety.

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		Each	10	100
2 to 3 ft.		. \$0.40	\$2 50	\$18 00
3 to 4 ft.		. 60	3 50	24 00
4 to 5 ft.		. 75	5 00	39 00

#### CALIFORNIA PRIVET

(Ligustrum ovalifolium)

The variety commonly used for hedges. Heavy, transplanted stock with bushy tops and roots.

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18 to 24 in.	 	\$0.20	\$1.50	\$10 00
2 to 3 ft.		25		12 00
3 to 4 ft		30	2 20	14 00



#### **IBOLIUM PRIVET**

(Ligustrum ibolium)

A hybrid between the California and the Ibota Privet, having the rich, glossy foliage of the former and the hardiness of the latter.

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BORDER FORSYTHIA (Forsythia intermedia). The brilliant yellow, cheery harbinger of spring. Earliest of the showy shrubs to open. Very graceful and hardy. Useful for specimens or in corners of the shrubbery where it need not be closely pruned. Not very good as a hedge unless it can be allowed to develop naturally.

75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each 90 cts. each; 5 or more, 75 cts. each 3 to 4 ft. 4 to 5 ft.

COMMON SWEET SHRUB (Calycanthus floridus). A robust, friendly bush, with starry, mahogany-colored flowers scented like rich ripe strawberries. An old favorite.

charmingly graceful when in llower and produces an abundance of bright red fruits.

Strong plants,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft.S1.25 each; 5 or more, S1.10 ea.

WINGED EUONYMUS (Euonymus alatus). A handsome, dense, dark green shrub with peculiarly corky stems. The leaves turn brilliant red in autumn.

TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE (Lonicera tatarica). A vigorous, twiggy, almost climbing bush, with reddish pink flowers in great abundance. Useful and very popular.

3 to 4 ft. 4 to 5 ft. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each

GLOBE FLOWER (Kerria japonica). Tall, erect shrub with stiff green stems. Throughout almost the entire season it is covered with bright golden yellow, chrysanthemum-like flowers. Very useful and effective.

18 to 24 in. 2 to 3 ft.



Hydrangea Peegee

2 to  $2^{1}2$  ft. . 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 65 cts. each SIMON'S COTONEASTER (Cotoneaster simonsi). This is one of the larger Cotoneasters, with small, glossy leaves of almost evergreen appearance. It is

\$1.50 each; 5 or more, \$1.35 each . \$2 each; 5 or more, \$1.80 each

60 cts. each; 5 or more, 45 cts. each

75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each 90 cts. each; 5 or more, 80 cts. each

HYDRANGEA PEEGEE (Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora). Very popular because of its enormous heads of creamy white flowers which turn pink after opening. Widely used for fences, border planting and for

75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each . . . S1 each; 5 or more, 90 cts. each 2 to 3 ft. 3 to 4 ft.

COMMON LILAC (Syringa vulgaris). Lilacs need no description. Everybody knows them and loves them. . \$1 each; 5 or more, 90 cts. each \$1.25 each; 5 or more, \$1.10 each \$1.75 each; 5 or more, \$1.60 each

Any of the Lilacs can be planted in October and November. The fall is an ideal time for planting them, because they are one of the first shrubs to break forth with their new foliage in the spring.

FLOWERING SHRUBS

Are you satisfied with the appearance of the grounds about your home? A spots where a few shrubs would—

> Soften a rough and unattractive corner? Give more privacy to your garden? Hide ugly spots?

Flowering shrubs provide beauty the year round. By all means plant them give them a good start for next season. If this is done, many of the early-flsorts will bloom next spring. Otherwise they will be delayed one year.

Of the large variety of shrubs we grow, only a few are mentioned in this lea you are interested in others, eonsult our handbook or write us for quotatio believe it is unnecessary to state that our shrubs are well grown, of good immediate planting, and that we can pack them so expertly that they ean b shipped to any state or province if you wish to have us do so.



All prices are F. O. B. North Abington, Mass. We make no charge for packing on retail orders. We can furnish nearly all of these shrubs in larger sizes if desired. Write for prices

## **CLIMBING ROSES**

Remember how pretty the Climbing Roses were the past summer? They are the easiest things in the world to grow, and a few planted now will give flowers for years to come. If you are interested in a more complete list, refer to our descriptive eatalogue.

American Pillar. Vigorous, hardy growth. Single, brilliant pink flowers in giant clusters. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each.

Aviateur Bleriot. Moderate growth. Beautiful foliage. Buds orange and apricot; flowers lighter. \$1 each; 5 or more, 90 cts. each.

Climbing American Beauty. A moderate grower. Very large, shining carmine buds and flowers; fragrant. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 65 cts. each.

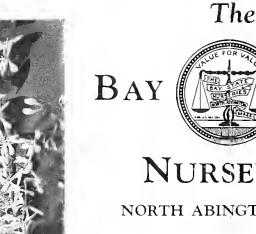
Dr. W. Van Fleet. Strong grower and extremely freeblooming. Very large, pale pink flowers borne on strong stems. Fine for cutting. One of the most popular climbers in the United States. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each. Dorothy Perkins. Vigorous grower, fine for fences and arches. Sprays of bright shell-pink, little, crinkly flowers. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each.

Excelsa. Like Dorothy Perkins but its flowers are vivid, light crimson. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each.

Mary Lovett. Very strong growth and glossy foliage. Flowers beautifully formed, white, and very large. \$1 each; 5 or more, 80 cts. each.

Paul's Scarlet Climber. Moderate grower, with well-shaped flowers of intense, blazing scarlet. One of the most showy. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 70 cts. each.

Silver Moon, Very vigorous but needs protection where winters are severe. Flowers enormous pure, creamy white. 75 cts. each; 5 or more, 60 cts. each,



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## **PEONIES**

Autumn is absolutely the correct time to put Peonics in the ground; and a garden doesn't amount to much unless there are a few of these gorgeous perennial beauties in it. They are practically indestructible when once established, and surpass all other flowers in splendor when they are in bloom.

FESTIVA MAXIMA. An old, tried, true, and favorite variety. Very large, pure white blooms, flaked lightly with crimson and delicately fragrant. 75 cts. each; \$6.50 for 10.

KARL ROSENFIELD. The finest of the popular-priced rcds. A very handsome, symmetrical, upstanding flower of brilliant crimson. \$1.50 each; \$14 for 10.

MARY BRAND. Another fine red Peony of enormous size and excellent form. The color is vivid crimson. \$2.50 each; \$24 for 10.

MIKADO. A brilliant showy sort of the Japanese type. Guard petals bright crimson; center a tuft of shredded petals strongly tinged with yellow. \$2.50 each; \$22.50 for 10.

SARAH BERNHARDT. One of the largest and handsomest. Dark, brilliant pink, of exceptionally handsome form. Unequaled for cutting. \$1.75 each, \$16 for 10.

THERESE. The most popular of all Peonies. Delicately pink and crisply fresh flowers of lovely shape. \$3.50 cach; \$33 for 10.

TOURANGELLE. Medium-sized, creamy pink flowers with a warmer tone in the center. Very lovely. \$3 cach.



### SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES

Your children and grandchildren will need trees, and bless you for planting them—besides most of them grow so rapidly that you can enjoy them yourself if you are less than eighty.

It is well to think of the future, by planting trees that will shade your home and give your grounds an air of permanence and comfort. Nearly all ornamental trees may be planted during the next two months. We recommend the following:

NORWAY MAPLE (Acer platanoides). Large, handsome trees, especially adapted to street planting and in small back yards where there is no garden. Also fine on the seashore. Makes dense shade.

6 to 8 ft. S2.75 each; 5 or more, \$2.50 each 8 to 10 ft. S4 each; 5 or more, \$3.75 each 10 to 12 ft. S5 each; 5 or more, \$4.80 each

EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN-ASH (Sorbus aucuparia). One of the prettiest lawn trees. The foliage is feathery and attractive and the clusters of brilliant red berries are very showy.

 5 to 6 ft.
 \$1.50 cach; 5 or more, \$1.25 cach

 6 to 8 ft.
 \$2 cach; 5 or more, \$1.80 cach

 8 to 10 ft.
 \$2.50 cach

AMERICAN ELM (Ulmus americana). The glory of New England towns. Lofty and spreading in a broad dome of cooling greenness. We are eternally grateful to the ancestors who planted them.

We have a moderate number of American Elms of the type known as "vase-sliaped," especially prized for their beautiful form, as the name would indicate. We have excellent trees to offer at the following prices:

FLOWERING CRAB-APPLES. Any of the Flowering Crab-Apples may be transplanted now, and we call your attention to two varieties in particular, Bechtel's Crab (Malus ioensis plena) and Japanese Flowering Crab (Malus floribunda). The prices for both varieties are as follows:

 3 to 4 ft.
 \$2 cach

 4 to 5 ft.
 \$2.50 cach

 5 to 6 ft.
 \$3 cach



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